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**SUBURBANITE'S DESIRES**  
Wants Water, Free Mail and General Improvements.

Perrysburg, March 3, 1913.  
Editor Journal.

Dear Sir—The writer was very much impressed by an article printed in a recent copy of the Journal by the able manner in which you handled the postoffice department at Washington, D. C., to get train service for the betterment of the Journal's mail. It was about one year ago that an article appeared telling us that the United States postoffice department had granted free mail service to the village of Perrysburg, which would go into effect about June 1, 1912, but for some reason was stopped.

Also have read with much interest in the columns of the Journal the forming of the Civic Association which, if I am informed correctly, was formed for the improvement, beautifying and betterment of our village of Perrysburg. Now I would like to see the above named Civic Association, ably assisted through you and the Journal, go on record in the history of Perrysburg as being instrumental in taking this matter of free mail delivery up with the proper authorities and putting it through so that the people living in the suburbs can enjoy their daily papers the same as now do our farmer neighbors. The local paper carriers will not deliver papers outside of Eighth street. We have to bear our share of the corporation taxes and do not enjoy the luxuries of lights, gas or water—not even for fire protection—and we surely would appreciate and enjoy free mail. And when it is offered free of cost by our government, would also like to see, for the interest of Perrysburg, the Business Men's Club help in this matter of free mail delivery and give it a push in the right direction.

A SUBURBANITE.

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## SPARROW HUNT

Lime City Boys Make Good Score of Birds.

There were 18 men engaged in the sparrow hunt at Lime City last Tuesday, and it was certainly some hunt.

The individual scores indicate that the men had either been doing some trapping or else were good hunters.

The score of the winners is as follows: Nick Niffin, 53; Kern Fisher, 9; R. Warns, 12; Geo. Lintner, 36; Geo. Whitson, 41; L. Greiner, 48; C. Sattler, 23; C. Bauman, 110; L. Bauman, 76; total, 408.

The losers were: W. Swartz, 35; J. Clayberger, 30; J. Lintner, 37; J. Miller, 27; F. Sattler, 35; G. Swartz, 50; A. Niffin, 80; A. Tinney, 41; total, 384.

The losers are to pay for a supper, which will be given some time this week.

## SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

The editorial board of the Annual of 1913 have completed arrangements with

**ERNEST BOURNER ALLEN** for a lecture on the evening of March 28. Mr. Allen's reputation as an orator of power is well known. He not only interests his audiences, but he delivers his messages so eloquently that they are not forgotten. He captivates his hearers. He needs no recommendation to a Perrysburg audience. The first lecture of this season should find a crowded auditorium. The lecturer is in every way worthy. The object is worthy, and a worthy audience will be present on the evening of March 28 to hear

**SUN-CROWNED MEN.** Tickets with reserved seat can be secured from Beatrice Van Norman, Ward Hanson, Geo. Roose, Winnifred Pope, Dorcas Wetzell—the members of the Editorial Board.

The eighth grade pupils have had their first examination in agriculture.

There were no cases of tardiness among the pupils of the eighth grade during the last month.

The vacant seats in the fifth grade speak for failures at the end of the year, is Miss Broka's opinion.

Seventeen of the pupils of the fourth grade got 100% in their long division test.

The members of the senior class are wearing their new class pins. My, but they are beauties!

## GRAND JURY REPORT.

After the examination of 59 witnesses the grand jury returned five indictments, four of which were secret, but were probably for non-support and liquor law violations. The one indictment made public charges Charles Young, a negro who has been in jail since December, with larceny. He is alleged to have found on a street in Perrysburg \$350 which had been lost by Oliver Goodman, an old soldier, and is alleged to have converted it to his own use without attempting to find its owner. At the time of Young's arrest he was enjoying himself in a Toledo saloon. He claims that the money he had spent and the money he had on his person, about \$180 had been earned by him.

Nick Valinques, charged with assault of a boy at Millbury, has been released from jail as he was not indicted.

Suit for divorce has been brought by Zoe M. White vs. Robert R. White to whom she was married August 9th, 1909. She charged him with swearing at her and striking her, with cruel treatment of their baby and with failure to provide for the support of herself and child.

William R. Caldwell has brought suit against The National Wheel Co. of Perrysburg for \$3,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been received by him November 22, 1909, while working as a tire coiler.

Mary Sylka asks for divorce from John Sylka. They were married September 26th, 1908, and have one son. She alleged that he struck and choked her, called her vile names and threatened to kill her; also that he becomes intoxicated and has failed to provide for her support. She asks for custody of their child. The latter is now with the father, she says.

## TRAIN KILLS FARMER

John Meyers Decapitated and Legs Cut Off

Two hours after John Meyers, 50, a farmer, had started from Toledo for his home in Monclova, his mangled body, with the head severed, was found at 11:45 Saturday night on the Lake Shore tracks almost in front of the Holland railroad station. A short time later the man's legs, which had been cut off just below the knees, were found on the track three miles west of the station.

According to Coroner Hensler Meyers was struck at 10:30 by a fast east-bound passenger train as he was walking across the tracks on the Gardner crossing, four miles west of Holland. With the engine crew unaware of the accident the man's body was caught and carried on the pilot of the locomotive until it rolled off and fell on the track in front of the Holland station. A few minutes later a west-bound freight train passed over the body. The corpse was taken to the undertaking establishment of A. J. Witzler in Perrysburg, where it was prepared for burial and then taken to the late home, where a widow with five small children awaited the return of the husband and father.

## ALLEGED ROSE LAW VIOLATION.

John Gilbert was arrested at his home in Cygnet Monday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Shoecraft upon an indictment charging him with keeping a place where intoxicating liquors were kept for sale as a beverage.

## BROUGHT HERE FOR BURIAL.

John Mogul, a former resident of Perrysburg township, died at his late home near Ann Arbor, Mich., on Sunday.

His remains were brought to Perrysburg and reposed in the Witzler mortuary until Tuesday, when the funeral services were held at the M. E. church, conducted by Rev. Webster. The interment was made in Ft. Meigs cemetery.

## MUST CARRY LIGHTS.

Probably within a short time every vehicle moving upon the public highways at night will be compelled by law to carry a light, visible from the front as well as the rear. The legislature probably will enact such a law. There would be many advantages from such a law. Automobile owners are largely responsible for this move, as it is contended that it is only just and right that all vehicles should be equipped even as autos are forced so to comply.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels so that they have been regular ever since."—E. Davis, Grocer, Sulphur Springs, Texas.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for their kind assistance and sympathy extended during the sudden death of our beloved son and brother, Merlin Eckel, and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

We wish especially to thank Rev. Fr. Schoendorff for his consoling words. Also to the choir for their kind services rendered.

MR. and MRS. GEO. ECKEL, and Family.

## The Forty Year Test.

An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872. From a small beginning it has grown in favor and popularity until it has attained a world wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. It not only gives relief—it cures. For sale by all dealers.

## MAYOR BRAND WHITLOCK

Will Make Address in Perrysburg on Civic Improvement.

The Perrysburg Civic Association is pleased to announce arrangements have been made whereby Mayor Brand Whitlock of Toledo will give an address in Perrysburg at the town hall on the evening of Thursday, March 13, at 7:30 p. m., on the subject of civic pride and improvement.

The mayor indicates great pleasure in coming to Perrysburg for the purpose of assisting in the laudable work of promoting the welfare of the beautiful village.

The meeting will be open to all who may desire to attend and ladies are especially invited.

Music will be provided to assist in entertaining the audience.

Everybody will be welcome and the association desires that our people may give Mayor Whitlock a cordial welcome.

In anticipation of a large crowd on this occasion the Committee of Arrangements have decided that no children under 15 years of age can be admitted unless accompanied by their parents. This will insure plenty of good seats for everyone.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; subject for study, "The Destruction of Sodom." Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold its meeting at 6:30 as usual next Sunday evening. Leader, Donald Hegamaster; subject, "Obeying Conscience"—1 John 3:18-24.

The meeting last Sunday evening led by Harley Ward was a very interesting and helpful meeting. Harley had some original ideas and expressed them in a very original way and the meeting was a great success.

In the absence of the pastor last Thursday, the C. E. Society had charge of the church prayer meeting, Donald Finkbeiner, the president of the society, leading and making the opening address. The meeting was most helpful, and we hope the C. E. Society will lead again at some future time.

Rev. D. H. Johnston, the pastor of Rosewood Ave. Presbyterian church, filled the pulpit of this church last Sunday morning in exchange with Rev. Mr. Lowry.

## EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

Sunday School at 9:00 a. m. Prayer service, 10:30 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:00 p. m.

Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m. Topic, "Obeying Conscience."

Preaching services at 7:00 p. m. The Personal Workers' League will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Usual Thursday evening prayer service at 7:30. All invited to these services.

## M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday, March 9, 1913—Sunday school at 9 a. m. The regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; the topic, "The Nature of the Kingdom"—Luke 8:4-18, Matt. 13:24-30, Mark 4:26-29, Matt. 13:31-33; 34, 47, 50. Miss Madlyn Yeager will lead.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Bible study the same evening at 7:30.

## Chronic Stomach Trouble Cured.

There is nothing more discouraging than a chronic disorder of the stomach. It is not surprising that many suffer for years with such an ailment when a permanent cure is within their reach and way be had for a trifle? "About one year ago," says P. H. Beck, of Wakelee, Mich., "I bought a package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and since using them I have felt perfectly well. I had previously used any number of different medicines, but none of them were of any lasting benefit." For sale by all dealers.

## MIDDLETON TOWNSHIP

Interesting Local News from Neighboring Homes.

Messrs. Frank Galpin, Walter and Ebert Ziss, Ben, Charley and George Luebbert cut trees Saturday for Chas. Walker, who has been sick most of the winter.

Lester, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferris, died at their home one mile south of Dunbridge, Monday night, of dropsy. It had been ill from its birth and was just recovering from pneumonia, when dropsy set in. The father, mother, one brother and sister are left to mourn their loss. Lester was about one year old. The sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved family. The funeral was held at the Presbyterian church in Dunbridge, Rev. O. W. Dyer officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson called on her mother, Mrs. Jay Phillips, who is ill at her home, Sunday.

Elmer, Mabel and Helena Fuller dismissed their schools Tuesday so as to attend the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Charles Walker, at the M. E. church in Bowling Green.

Mr. Philip Ziss was a business caller in Toledo Monday.

A very valuable horse of Ben Liebherr was kicked at the knee joint on its left hind leg Friday.

Messrs. John Grimm, James Cordry and Lark Mossbarger will move their families this week to their new homes.

Miss Cora Bausman visited with her sister, Mrs. Iva Cooley, at Bowling Green Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Haas, Mrs. Ed Wintzler and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bates, all of Toledo, attended the funeral of Mrs. Chas. Walker.

Mrs. Ben Liebherr was a caller in Perrysburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Asmus and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Carl Asmus, who was staying at the home of her sister, ear Weston, when death occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Euler moved Monday to their newly purchased farm near Deshler.

Mrs. Will Bernthistle of Haskins was at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Austin Harmon, who is ill at her home in Bowling Green, several days last week.

Miss Ruth Stonebrook of Maumee took Sunday dinner with Bertha Vermilya.

Mr. Charles Walker and daughter Ruby called on Ben Liebherr Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. H. A. Vermilya, P. A. Ziss and Ben Liebherr have been hauling grain to the Haskins elevator during last week.

Mrs. Herman Meeker and Miss Clara Weimar will leave for Lorain this week for a visit with their sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Liebherr and George Liebherr called at the Frank Asmus home Friday evening.

Frances and James Meagley spent Tuesday in Haskins.

Miss Agnes Meagley was on the sick list Thursday.

Mr. Horace Brown was shelling corn Saturday.

Rev. W. E. Ward of Elida was the guest of his brother, Mr. Dorsey Ward, a few days last week.

## OATS. POULTRY. EGGS.

Would you make three pecks or a bushel of feed from a peck of oats? Send your address and receive information free.

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## CHERRY GROVE POULTRY YARDS

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## SCRAP OF HISTORY

Concerning the Departure of Troops from Perrysburg.

The following sketch, written by James Muir, and published in the Pemberville Leader:

Having been discharged from Co. K, 21st O. V. I., Jan. 9, 1863, on a surgeon's certificate of disability, I helped recruit Co. G of the 64th battalion of O. V. M., their enlistment to be five years for the protection of the state. Co. G was made up of men from Freedom and Webster townships.

On July 28, 1863, we met at Pemberville and held our company election. Phillip Smith was elected captain; Byron Pember, first lieutenant; the writer, second lieutenant. Pember died shortly after the election.

I, being the only commissioned officer who had seen service, was often called upon to take charge of the company, and was in charge at the time of the accident.

The Lake Shore and the C. H. & D. were the only railroads in the county at that time.

September 20, 1863, the commissioned officers and sergeants of the Wood county companies were ordered to Camp Oliver, Toledo, for instructions. At that time, the steamer "Belle," commanded by Capt. Locke, made daily trips between Toledo and Perrysburg.

September 21, I was ordered home for the company. I took passage on the steamer "Belle" for Perrysburg, made arrangements with Captain Locke for the transportation of the company, with the understanding that the men would be ready at 9 a. m. the following day. I sent word to Orderly Sergeant Albert Fronoy to have the men of Freedom township report at Perrysburg in time to take the boat, and also notified the men of Webster to report at the same time. My object was to have the company march into the camp at the same time. Camp Oliver was about one and a half miles out Cherry street. At 9 a. m., time for the "Belle" to leave, only about half of the company had arrived. Captain Locke told me he could not wait any longer. I then decided to wait for the C. H. & D. train, which was due to leave about an hour later, and at that time most of the men had arrived. With the exception of the first car, all the cars were filled; consequently, we had to occupy that car. I will not mention any names, but one of the reasons that some of the men did not arrive at the appointed time was on account of too much "fire water."

Most of us were seated on benches in the car. I was sitting near the front, facing the engine. Two of the boys, who were feeling pretty good, were sitting near me with their backs towards the engine. When nearing the curve of the road in East Toledo, I heard a whistle, and looking out of the door saw an engine coming towards us on the same track. Warning the men of our immediate danger, I made for the door and was astonished to hear this remark, "Let her come!" made by one of the two men.

It "did come," and the two men in front suffered for it. One had his leg broken and the other received an injury on the head that rendered him unconscious and he remained in that state for two weeks.

The tender of our train was thrown over the car in which we were and instantly killed John Scott and William Philo, of Webster township; and seriously injured John Hathaway, John and William Fenton, Abel Jolly, R. M. Davidson, Henry Biddle, Chas. Stayler, Ashael Philo and the correspondent.

The injured were taken to the Oliver House, one of the finest hotels in Toledo at that time. Drs. Bodman, Nolan, Bailey and Thorne cared for us. These doctors are all dead except Dr. Thorne. I believe he is still alive. Those who were taken to the Oliver House are all dead but Ashael Philo and the writer. I was the last man taken from the wreck. The lower part of my body, from the hips down, was fast between the tender and the box car. Imagine my feelings, with the blood of one of the dead running over my hands, and the steam from the boilers whistling around my head. Before I could be released, it was necessary to send across the river for a jack-screw to upper part of my body, I would not be writing this account.

John Fenton, one of the seriously injured, died.

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